GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES
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SSI UNITS IN BIHAR
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Will the Minister of SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) the location-wise details of new small scale industries set up during the last three years and till date in Bihar;

(b) the details of items manufactured in these units;

(c) the production capacity and actual production of each of them;

(d) the locations where small scale industries are proposed to be set up in Bihar in the current year; and

(e) the time by which these industries are likely to start production?

Answer

MINISTER OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (D THAKUR)

(a): As reported by the State Government of Bihar, the number ofSmall Scale Industries (SSI) units set up during last three yearsi.e. during 1999-2000 to 2001-02 is 12,503 and cumulative number of SSI units set by the end of March, 2002 (latest available) is93988. The Location-wise information is not maintained centrally. However, District-wise break-up of the new units set up and total number of units set up by the end of March, 2002 is given at Annexure.

(b) to (e): SSI units are set up in the Private Sector and therole of the Government is to facilitate their promotion and development. Even the registration of the SSI units with theStates` directorate of Industries/ District Industry Centres isvoluntary as licenses are not required for setting up these units. The information in respect of the goods manufactured, their production capacity and actual production in these industries is not maintained centrally. The decision on locations where the new units are to be set up and their dates of commencement of production are decided by the entrepreneurs themselves.